

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
ABERDEEN DIVISION**

CANYON S. BOYKIN

VS.

CITY OF COLUMBUS, MISSISSIPPI

PLAINTIFFS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:16-cv-00025-SA-DAS

DEFENDANT

UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR A TEMPORARY STAY

COMES NOW the Plaintiff, Canyon S. Boykin (“Boykin”, through counsel, and submits his Unopposed Motion for a Temporary Stay of this matter, and states unto the Court as follows:

1. On September 7, 2016, Officer Boykin learned he had been indicted for manslaughter by a secret grand jury. Officer Boykin was arraigned on this charge on September 9, 2016.

2. Officer Boykin’s criminal defense counsel, the undersigned and Mr. Jeff Reynolds, intend to vigorously defend this charge, and intend to bring about speedy trial of the matter.

3. Counsel for the Defendant do not oppose a temporary stay of this civil proceeding to allow Officer Boykin and his counsel to devote their time to Officer Boykin’s criminal defense. The Plaintiff requests, and the Defendant does not oppose, a stay of this matter that would last for six months or until the conclusion of Officer Boykin’s criminal case, whichever occurs first.

4. A proposed Agreed Order is attached hereto as Exhibit 1, and will be electronically sent to the Court via email.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Plaintiff respectfully requests the Court grant his Unopposed Motion for a Temporary Stay, and temporarily stay this matter for a period of six months or until the conclusion of his criminal case, whichever occurs first.

This the 9th day of September, 2016.

Respectfully Submitted,

CANYON S. BOYKIN, Plaintiff

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This will certify that undersigned counsel for Plaintiff has this day filed the above and forgoing Notice of Service with the Clerk of the Court, utilizing the federal court electronic case data filing system (CM/ECF), which sent notification of such filing to the following:

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